ATTACHMENT 4
NCPDP 5.1 reversal examples for retail pharmacies dispensing drugs and biologics

Examples of claims adjustments before and after the implementation of the federal Health Insurance Portability and Accountability Act of 1996 (HIPAA) are illustrated below.

For example, if both of the following are true:		Then use the following:	
Date claim was paid	**Date of reversal**	**National Council of Prescription Drug Programs (NCPDP) version**	**Codes**
9/1/03	9/30/03	NCPDP versions 3.2, 3C, or 4.0	• Pre-HIPAA nonmedical codes. • Pre-HIPAA medical codes.
9/30/03	10/14/03	NCPDP version 5.1 B2 reversal transaction	• National nonmedical codes. • Pre-HIPAA medical codes.
10/14/03	11/1/03	NCPDP version 5.1 B2 reversal transaction	• National nonmedical codes. • National medical codes.